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Sintering of Powder Metal

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Response to Examiner's Answer

Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the Examner's Answer of July 13, 2007.

No request is being made for an Oral Hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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